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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Speech Pathologists, Audiologists, and Hearing Aid Dispensers
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Tuesday, October 18, 2016, at 2:00 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room A , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	January 17, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT

Tonya Coats, Professional Member, President, Presiding
Heather Smith, Professional Member, Secretary
Brian Whitaker, Public Member- (2:20 p.m. Arrival)
William Doolittle, Public Member
Lisa Marencin, Professional Member
Meredith Sullivan, Professional Member

DIVISION STAFF

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General
Urainer Marrow, Administrative Specialist II

MEMBERS ABSENT

Kirsten Wolfington, Public Member
Dr. Kiijuana Cann, Professional Member

ALSO PRESENT

Jacqueline Truluck
Christine Cook

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Coats called the meeting to order at 2:02 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

Meeting Minutes – August 16, 2016

The Board reviewed the meeting minutes from the August 16, 2016 meeting. Ms. Smith made a motion, seconded by Ms. Sullivan to approve the minutes as written. Motion unanimously carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no unfinished business.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratification of Permanent Speech Language Pathologist Applications

Ms. Sullivan moved, seconded by Mr. Doolittle, to ratify the following speech pathologist applications, as the applicants have met the requirements for licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

Devon Brunson Danielle Fusco Cuppia Camellia Das Maria Eboli Jill Leabman Jill Mullen
Paige O'Donnell Vanessa Peregrim Amy Morrisroe Abigail Siple Sara Smith
Allison Stender Gabrielle Young

Ratification of Temporary Speech Pathologist Applications

Ms. Sullivan moved, seconded by Ms. Smith, to ratify the following temporary speech pathologist applications, as the applicants have met the requirements for licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

Casey Brown Laura Clark Christine Fenimore Deborah Ford Jasmine Forster Samantha Grubbs
Kelsey Hart Jennifer Hilbish Brittany Hill Chelsea Linton Amy Meyer
Lisa Rubinow Mary Kay Shableski Bailey Shaw Morgan Sinclair Deidre Smith Staci Sorrell
Emily Trebilcock Lindsay Williams

Ratification of Audiology Applications

Ms. Marecin moved, seconded by Mr. Doolittle to ratify the following audiology applications, as the applicants have met the requirements for licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

Emily Garrett Hui Shing Andy Lau

Ratification of CF Supervisor Addition

Ms. Marecin moved, seconded by Ms. Smith to approve the additional supervisor for Kelsey Hart. Motion unanimously carried.

Ratification of Temporary Speech Language Pathologist Licensure Extension

Ms. Marecin moved, seconded by Ms. Sullivan to approve the extension of the following speech language pathologist licensees. Motion unanimously carried.

Amy Morrisroe Abigail Siple Wendy Coral

Continuing Education – Review of Submitted Activities

Mr. Smith moved, seconded by Ms. Sullivan, to approve the following continuing education activities as noted below. Motion unanimously carried

Licensee: Jennifer Blackford
Sponsor: Christiana Hospital
Activity: Comprehensive Review of Clinical Skills
Contact Hours: CS 2.0

Licensee: Jennifer Thomas
Sponsor: Advisory Board Fellowship
Activity: Intensive 1: The Leadership Differential
Contact Hours: PG 16.0

Sponsor: Delaware Developmental Disabilities Council*
Activity: Life Conference 2017
Contact Hours: PG 3.5

Licensee: Jennifer Blackford*
Sponsor: Christiana/ Wilmington Hospital
Activities: A Review of the Literature: Respiratory Muscle Strength
Training/Concussion
Contact Hours: 1.0 CS

Review of Permanent Speech Language Pathologist Applications

Ms. Smith moved, seconded by Mr. Doolittle, to approve the application of Jaclyn Woodyatt permanent speech language pathologist application by reciprocity, as it has met requirement for licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Hearing Aid Dispenser Application by Reciprocity

Mr. Doolittle moved, seconded by Ms. Marecin to table the application of Francesca LoPresti hearing aid dispenser application, they then reversed their motion. Ms. Marecin then moved, seconded by Mr. Doolittle to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review and Discuss Hearing Officers Recommendations

Ms. Smith moved, seconded by Mr. Whitaker to table Karen Musengwa recommendations until next month. Motion unanimously carried.

Ms. Marecin moved, seconded by Ms. Smith to table Monica Shedd recommendations until next month. Motion unanimously carried.

Discuss Meeting Dates for 2017

The Board decided to stick with the same months off for 2017 as they had in 2016 which were April and December.

CORRESPONDENCE

We received an inquiry from Joshua Huppert who is a student/resident at Nemours/ Al Dupont hospital. His inquiry was in regards to having an ASHA card in order to apply for his audiology license. The Boards response was as follows: The Board appreciates your concern and will be in discussion about this topic. We invite you to come to one of our Board Meetings which is open to the public.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

There was no other business

PUBLIC COMMENT

Christine Cook discussed ASHA Certification and agrees that ASHA should stay in place since their standards are harsher. She wanted to know if changes were made how the public would be notified. She was told that there would be no changes at this time and this was just a discussion.

Jacqueline Truluck was given the task for University of Delaware and stated she was on the ASHA website frequently. She stated that ASHA had some of Delaware's information wrong on their website. She also stated that she appreciated what the Board does.

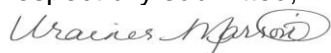
NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday November 15, 2016 at 2:00 p.m., in Conference Room B, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Whitaker moved, seconded by Ms. Marecin, to adjourn the meeting. Motion unanimously carried. There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 2:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Urainer Marrow
Administrative Specialist II